

USDOC-Global Markets Officers to Speak at the Asia Pacific Council of American Chambers of Commerce 2015 (APCAC 2015) Conference



Key officers from the U.S. Department of Commerce-Global Markets from Washington, D.C. and the broader Asia Pacific region will be participating in the March 12-13, 2015 Asia-Pacific Council of American Chambers of Commerce Business Summit 2015 (APCAC 2015). Over 450 key US Business leaders and US Government representatives will convene for two days at the Marina Bay Sands to discuss goals and priorities for the year ahead. This year's theme, "The United States and Asia – New Opportunities in the Pacific Century," builds on previous summits and focuses on Asia's growth and global influence.

APCAC, founded in 1968, now consists of 26 AmCham members in 19 economies in the Asia Pacific region. This annual conference brings together hundreds of executives for in-depth discussions of key issues facing the multinational business community and networking. The theme of this year's conference is "Asia's Resurgence and America's Role."

The US Commerce Department's Senior Commercial Officers from across the Asia Pacific will be participating in the conference and also meeting [one on one](#) with the participating companies throughout the event. AmCham Singapore is working through APCAC to host the 2015 event and is sponsoring the participation of over a dozen Senior Commercial Officers this year. This US Commercial Service Singapore will be arranging [one on one counseling sessions](#) with APCAC attendees who request meetings with these leading officials. They include Senior Commercial Officers (SCOs) James McCarthy (Philippines), Margaret Hanson-Muse (Singapore), Rosemary Gallant (Indonesia), Stephen Jacques (Malaysia), Dean Matlack (Thailand), James Golsen (Burma), Stu Schaag (Vietnam), Joe Kaesshaefer (Australia), Ireas Cook (Taiwan), Sarah Kemp (China), John McCaslin (India), Scott Shaw (Hong Kong), and Andrew Wylegala (Japan) are all confirmed. The Regional SCOs will share overviews of their markets including best prospects for U.S. exports, trends, and commercial landscape.

This event offers incredible potentials for US business to access the most senior US officials from across Asia and Washington, DC who are focused on the commercially beneficial aspects of the Asia Rebalance.

The conference also offers [local business tours](#) for those attendees wishing to arrive early and learn more about how Singapore businesses operate locally and regionally. Spouses or partners will have an [opportunity to join the evening events at an additional charge](#).

For more information on the APCAC 2015 Conference, please visit the website [here](#).